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For: NUCLEAR FUSION REACTOR INCORPORATING SPHERICAL  
ELECTROMAGNETIC FIELDS TO CONTAIN AND EXTRACT ENERGY

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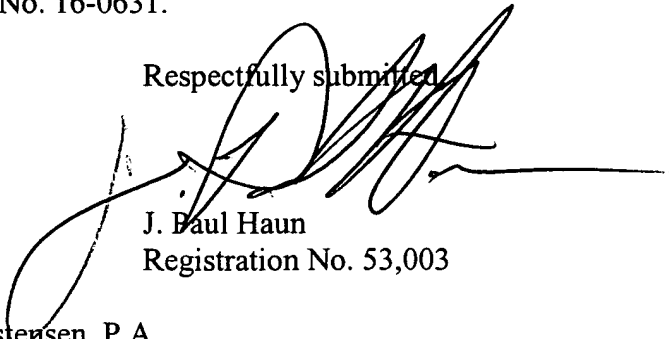
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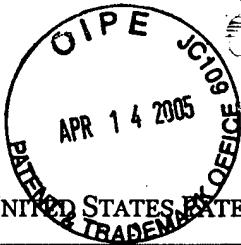
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In accordance with 37 CFR 1.317, applicant is given a time period of **THREE (3) MONTHS** from the mailing date of this notice during which to pay the **BALANCE DUE** indicated below. The balance due is the difference between the issue fee required on the date that the correct issue fee is paid and the amount that was previously paid. This three-month time period may not be extended. If the balance due is not paid before the expiration of the three-month period, the application will become abandoned (if not issued) or the patent will lapse (if issued) at the termination of the three-month period.

App. Type	Column A	Column B	Balance Due. Col. A minus Col. B
	Issue Fee Req. large entity / small entity	Issue Fee PAID	
UTILITY or REISSUE	\$1,400.00 / \$700.00	\$ 685.00	\$ 15.00
DESIGN	\$800.00 / \$400.00	\$	\$
PLANT	\$1,100.00 / \$550.00	\$	\$

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